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JAPAN'S AMBITION UNWARRANTED.

Prof. Moses Says the Country is Not Ready to Be a Great Power.

The Flowery Kingdom Not a Dangerous Industrial Rival of America.

Professor Bernard Moses lectured yesterday afternoon on "the Economic Situation in Japan." His observations were based on personal study during his trip to Japan last summer. He said in part:

"The nation's strong self-confidence leads it to assert its self-sufficiency. Among the Japanese there is an almost irresistible tendency to revert to the ways of their own people. But one who sees the shipping in the harbor of Yokohama will be convinced that the nation can never again close its ports to foreign nations. A return to Orientalism is impossible.

"The most conspicuous talents of the Japanese people are devoted to artistic rather than to mechanical works. Artistic taste and skill will not give a nation industrial leadership. Therefore Japan is handicapped in industrial rivalry with England and America. In the difference in wages Japan has an advantage, but the efficiency of labor is lower, particularly so in the great fields of the construction, use and repair of machinery. The strike will long continue to be a favorite weapon in the hands of the laboring classes of Japan, but there is no prospect that wages will reach the American standard.

"It is difficult to discover prospects of economic growth to justify Japan in trying to become a great naval and military power. One cannot but be reminded of the sorry fate of Italy, which might have remained prosperously in the rank of a third-rate nation, but which tried to become a great war power, with the result that for years the country has been on the verge of bankruptcy, with an over-taxed population. Japan is an important element in the problem of the Pacific."

A special committee of the Board of Regents will meet in San Francisco next Tuesday to decide on the request of Professor Bernard Moses that he be allowed to exchange chairs for six months, beginning with July 1, 1898, with the professor of history of the University of Chicago.

COLUMBIA BOYS' HOUSE-WARMING.

The Vigilant Firemen Preparing for a Celebration.

The members of the Columbia Fire Company are making great preparations for their house-warming, which will be held on the evening of March 22nd. The new fire house is fitted up in excellent style, and the boys are proud of it. For that reason they want their friends to attend the housewarming and inspect their new quarters.

A Successful Lecture.

The lecture by Rev. William Rader on "Love, Courtship and Marriage", in Park Congregational Church last night was a very successful affair in point of attendance and entertainment.

In Schmidt's Village.

Mrs. George R. Bailey, a former resident of Berkeley, now of Vallejo, has let a contract for the construction of a nine-room residence, barn, fences, etc., on a twenty-acre plot of land she has purchased in Schmidt's village.

MEETING OF SUNDAY SCHOOL TEACHERS.

A Gathering Last Night at the Residence of Mrs. Barrows.

Business Meeting Followed by Refreshments and a Social

The teachers and officers of the First Presbyterian Sunday School were entertained last evening by Mrs. Barrows of Haste street. The regular business of the month was discussed. Among other things, arrangements were completed for the Sunday School Easter service, which will be held in the Sunday School room, Easter morning, from 9:30 until 11, instead of the hour being occupied for church services.

There is to be a very interesting programme under the direction of a committee consisting of Mr. Walter E. Sell, Mr. Wm. Hathaway, Mr. James Drumm, Mr. Wm. Kaye and Mrs. Wm. Cowperthwaite. A committee consisting of Miss Kittie Dobbins and Miss Louise Tuttle was appointed on decoration. These young ladies are to be assisted by some of the older pupils in the school.

After the business had been disposed of the company adjourned to the dining-room, where Mrs. Barrows had provided dainty refreshments. Those present took their departure at a late hour after spending a very enjoyable evening.

Those at the meeting were Mr. Walter E. Sell, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hillard, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Hathaway, Mrs. Wm. Cowperthwaite, Wm Whitney, J. W. Richards, Lewis Warren, Misses Kathleen Brown and M. Grace Richardson.

PRESBYTERIAN MISSIONS.

The Missionery Society of the First Presbyterian Church held its regular annual business meeting in the Sunday School room yesterday afternoon. The ladies selected the following officers for the coming year: President, Mrs. James M. Thompson; first vice, Mrs. Albert Matignon; second vice, Mrs. H. H. Dobbins; third vice, Miss Clara Huddart; Recording Secretary, Mrs. Charles Conwell; Corresponding Secretary, Mrs. J. M. Whitworth; Treasurer, Mrs. Laura D. Goss.

CYCLING CLUB'S ROAD RACE.

Five Mile Contest Will Be Held Next Saturday.

The Peralta Cycling Club is making arrangements to hold a five mile road race next Saturday afternoon for a club medal.

The start will be from the corner of Ashby and Shattuck avenues, northerly along Shattuck avenue to University avenue; thence westerly to San Pablo avenue, thence southerly to Dwight way; thence easterly to Shattuck avenue, thence southerly to the point of commencement.

The boys are training hard for the contest and fast time is expected.

A Visiting Capitalist.

George C. Thorpe, a well known capitalist of Houcock, Minnesota who has been the guest of his son-in-law, Dr. J. Oberg started for his home this morning.

A Surprise.

To see the great bargains in Oil Heating and Cooking Stoves at E. H. Driggs, 2126 Center street. All things else in his line comparatively cheap.

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Up to $4000 to loan on Berkeley property; no commission. Wm. Clark, 102 Telegraph avenue, Oakland.

LOWER LICENSE ASKED FOR.

Grocers and Saloon Men Anxious for a Reduction.

Nineteen of Them Effect an Organization in West Berkeley Last Night.

Nineteen saloon-keepers and grocers who sell liquor—hold a meeting last night in Sisterna hall for the purpose of effecting a protective organization.

Invitations had been sent out to 23 men in the business in Lorin and West Berkeley but four failed to respond.

The proceedings were conducted with the greatest secrecy.

The meeting was called to order by Tim McNamara who briefly stated the objects of the gathering.

The following officers were elected: President, Tim McNamara; Secretary, Frank O'Brien.

A committee was appointed to confer with the license committee of the Board of Trustees with the view of having the liquor license reduced from $50 per quarter to $25.

The new organization will protect its members in every case involving conflict with the liquor laws.

LOCAL REALTY TRANSFERS.

Berkeley Property Which Changed Hands Yesterday.

San Francisco Savings Union to John and Emily J. Kueffer, lot on w line of Louisa street, 200 s of Gilman, s 60 by w 135, block 17, property Berkeley Villa Association $10.

Walter E. Magee to Genevra E. Magee, lot 14, block 4, Graves & Taylor tract, gift.

San Francisco Mutual Loan Association to Anna M. Pigott (wife of Robert), lot on nw corner Blake street and Grove avenue, w 42, 23, n 130, e 81, s 130-31, to beginning, being lot 11, block e, Crystal Spring tract, $10.

INVESTIGATING WOODWARD.

The Grand Jury Still Probing the Water Scandal.

The Grand Jury continued its investigation into the water rate scandal yesterday, and Mr. Woodward was again before it. He was not detained long and was followed by Irving G. Lewis, a money-lender.

Lewis told of loaning money to Woodward on his furniture in 1896. The furniture was stored in a warehouse, and on February 19 it was released and the note redeemed. This was the day after Woodward was appointed a Councilman.

A few other witnesses were examined but nothing was learned, and the Grand Jury adjourned until next Tuesday after issuing subpenas for several more witnesses.

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PRESIDENT OF THE LONGFELLOW ASSOCIATION.

Prof. L. J. Richardson Unanimously Chosen Last Night.

Assistant Librarian C. K. Jones Reads a Paper on Calderon

The Longfellow Memorial Association held its March meeting yesterday evening at the house of Professor Wickson on Bancroft way.

Vice-President Edward Rainey called the meeting to order. J. M. Hahn, a University student, was elected to membership, and then the Society proceeded to the election of a President. S. Biedenbach nominated Professor Leon J. Richardson of the University facility, who was unanimously elected.

In assuming the chair, Professor Richardson said that the Longfellow was one of the oldest and most highly respected societies of its kind in this part of the country. A. V. Stubenrauch then played the overture of the "Poet and Peasant" as a piano solo, and Cecil K. Jones was introduced to read an essay on the "Spanish poet Calderon and his Times." Mr. Jones considered first the times of the poet, showing how he was influenced very largely by the immediate history of his times, and then proceeded to give a description of the work of the poet and of his position as a dramatist of the best age of the Spanish Drama. After the reading of the paper, Mr. Jones answered several questions relating to modern Spanish literature.

The programme was concluded by a violin solo by Mr. Henry Seekamp of North Berkeley. Mr. Seekamp's encore, Schubert's Serenade, was particularly well received. Miss Hamilton was his accompanist.

Y. M. C. A. Anniversary.

The Oakland Young Men's Christian Association celebrated its nineteenth anniversary, last night, with exercises at the First Congregational Church. An elaborate literary and musical programme was rendered and enjoyed by a large gathering, in which were a number of Berkeleyans. The printed programmes contained a statement of the year's work, showing the past twelve months to have been most active ones for the Association.

An Engagement.

The engagement is announced of Miss Sophie Gelder of Lorin and D. Caro of San Francisco. A reception will be held Sunday, March 13th, at the residence of the bride's parents, 1511 Fairview street, from 2 to 5 p. m., at which time the date of the wedding will be announced.

Street Lien Satisfied.

The suit of C. D. Vincent against T. C. Landregan for a $300 street assessment lien has been dismissed, the claim having been paid.

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SALMON SAYS IT IS PERSECUTION.

He Claims That His Business Is Right and Proper.

Town Officers are Cordially Invited to Call at His Place.

The arrests made by Marshal Lloyd and Constable Koch were a great surprise to the alleged offenders. They claim they are not dismayed however and will fight the case to the bitter end.

Two communications were received to-day in regard to the matter. They are as follows:

TO THE PUBLIC OF BERKELEY:—Having been arrested on the charge of running a gambling house, I would like to make the following statement:

I was arrested once before on the same charge, and the case was thrown out of court on my proving that nothing but draw-poker was played in my house, the same as players would play at home in a friendly game, and that I had no drop or "Kitty," simply taking enough out of the game to pay for the cigars, soda, tobacco and cigarettes used by the players.

This is legal, according to the State laws, and this second arrest is but persecution on the part of the Marshal.

While such arrests amount to nothing, they cost me quite a little money for lawyers' fees, etc., and, as a citizen of Berkeley, I emphatically protest against this action of Marshal Lloyd.

As I am not breaking the law, I cordially invite the Marshal and his deputies, or any of the Berkeley citizens, to visit my place at any time and see for themselves that the facts are as I state.

S. J. SALMON.

Cambridge, Mass, the seat of Harvard University, is a prohibition city. The "no license" policy has prevailed there for ten years in succession. At first, the usual objections were made—the city could not do without the saloon revenue etc.—but all have been abundantly refuted by actual experience. We are told that the valuation of Cambridge property, dropped, in round numbers, $3,000,000 during the ten years of license; it has risen $24,000,000 during ten years of no-license. In the license decade the average gain in population was 1,182; in the no-license period it has been 2,195. In the first ten years 151 houses were built annually, in the second decade the average has been 332. And—note this particularly—the city gets annually in taxes on the increased valuation under no-license *three* or *four times* as much as it would get from licence fees. Two years ago 257 Cambridge merchants, in all departments of business, signed a public appeal declaring that no-licence had benefited the material interests of the city, and expressed a hope for its continuance. The finest feature of the celebration of the fiftieth anniversary of the city was, says the New York Independent, "the spectacle of 85,000 people keeping holiday and from sunrise to sunset not a drunken man visible anywhere".

Why cannot "Beautiful Berkeley" follow Cambridge's bright example, become a prohibition city and reap like grand results?

MARY M. HARDY.

President Kellogg Safe.

The statement that Mrs. Hearst is advocating the appointment of Dr. Pepper of Pennsylvania to succeed President Kellogg is authoritatively denied.

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NOTED VISITORS PLAY WHIST.

A Party Given Last Night in Honor of Dr. and Mrs. Oronhyatekha.

Progressive Whist at the Residence of Mr. and Mrs. R. Mills.

A progressive whist party was given last night by Mr. and Mrs. R. Mills at their residence, 2110 College Way, in honor of Dr. and Mrs. Ackland Oronhyatekha of San Francisco. Dr. Oronhyatekha is the only son of Oronhyatekha, Chief of the seven Mohawk tribes of Indians, Canada. He was educated at McGill University, Montreal. After graduating from that institution he entered the medical department of University, Toronto, and was graduated with high honors. To further complete his medical education he entered St. Thomase's Hospital, London, spending three years in that institution. His wife is an accomplished and highly educated English lady with a pleasing winning way, blessed with a high degree of personal magnetism, winning the love and affection of all with whom she comes in contact.

Those in attendance taking part in the contest last night were Dr. and Mrs. Oronhyatekha, ex-Senator C. R. Cross, Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Berry, Dr. and Mrs. F. R. Woolsey, Miss Stella Roblin, Mrs. H. C. Parks, Mrs. A. B. Hoffman, Mr. C. B. Woolsey, Mr. Harry Taylor, Mr. J. E. Little, Mr. and Mrs. R. Mills, and Dr. G. B. Hoagland.

The ladies' first prize was won by Mrs. Oronhyatekha, and the Association prize by Mrs. H. Pitman. The gentleman's first prize was a tie between Senator Cross and Dr. Hoagland, the Senator winning the prize by a cut of the cards; and the consolation prize was won by Dr. Woolsey. Mr. R. Mills presented the prize with a few well chosen remarks after which all sojourned to the dining-room where lunch was served.

After lunch Dr. Oronhyatekha rendered a couple of selections in his native Indian style which was very much appreciated by those present.

Capitalists' Sued

John Scribner has filed a foreclosure suit against A. W Bishop and wife, T. L. Barker, F. K. Shattuck, et. al., on $500, and $2,500 notes, secured by mortgages on twenty acres for the first and twenty-five for the second, in the Bernal portion of the Rancho El Valle de San Jese in Murray township.

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BARNES MADE NO REPORT.

The Ex-Track Manager of the University Stayed in Alaska.

Editor Hopper Attacks Him for Failing to Give a Financial Statement.

"Teddy" Barnes was chosen track manager of the University after the victory over Stanford last spring. He spent the vacation in Alaska, and when the Klondike excitement began he was at Juneau. Barnes concluded that the gold fields were more attractive than the University and the track managership, and he never came back.

The University Occident today caused something of a sensation by its comment upon the actions of the late track manager. After commending Brown, the football manager, for his report, it said:

"It is a fact that our managers exhibit often, more than often, a carelessness, a lordly indifference to the value of money, a contempt for book-keeping, which have the most startling results. Many of them are no less than defaulters, perhaps unconscious, perhaps really honest in intent, but nevertheless defaulters pure and simple. A manager who skips off to Alaska without giving any report is a defaulter, nothing less.

"The fact that the office of manager is purely honorary, unretributed, is no doubt the cause of this deplorable state of affairs. A man working hard without pay, merely for a shadowy honor, is apt to become careless in his transactions; worse, he may go one step further, seek compensation for his toil in sundry comforts furnished by the money in his trust, and, step by step, thus drift insensibly into practices altogether dishonest.

As a remedy, it is proposed to have a treasurer under bonds and paid a salary.

HUDSON'S LECTURES ON SHAKESPERE.

A Treat for Lovers of the Great Dramatist.

An attempt is being made to arrange, by subscription, a course of lectures on "Shakespeare and the English Romantic Drama," by Wm. H. Hudson, Professor of English Literature at Stanford University, to be held in the Oakland Unitarian Church, Sunday Evenings as follows:—April 1. "The English Drama of Shakespeare's Time." April 8, "The Stage Actors and Public of Shakespeare's Time." April 15, "What is a Play." April 22, "The English Romantic Drama." Of course the ticket rates will be the same as those for the recent course by Professoor Briggs. Unless the sale of 160 course tickets is assured before March 14, the lectures will not be given. Any one wishing an opportunity to hear this course, or any of the single lectures, should send his name and the number of tickets derired, to the Lecture Committee, 702 Seventh street, Oakland, this week.

During the continuance of battalion drill the University Bicycle Corps will drill on University avenue.

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ASHBY STATION PARK.

Some time ago the proposition of constructing a park at Ashby station similar to the one at Berkeley station was broached. The proposition originated in the mind of a gentleman who is a large property owner in the southern section of the city and who agreed to do everything in his power to have a beautiful park planted. There is every reason why the project should be carried and not one objection can be urged against it, yet the residents of South Berkeley do not seem to be manifesting a proper degree of interest in the matter.

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In the past the Southenders have been noted for their enterprise and desire for improvement. Streets have been macadamized, sidewalked and sewered, while many beautiful residences have been erected. As a result property has increased in value and it is one of the most attractive portions of Berkeley. It must not be forgotten, however, that a community cannot stand still; it must go forward or backward. Now we do not think that progressive South Berkeley desires to lose the advantage it posesses, and we would suggest that as an instance of reviving energy it take hold of the park proposition and make it a success. This accomplished, some other measure of progress will demand consideration.

A PUBLIC CALAMITY.

The mental collapse of Adolph Sutro seems to be a public as well as a private calamity. When the University Regents were considering the selection of a site for the Affiliated Colleges, Sutro induced them to erect the buildings on ground he donated, by offering to erect a magnificent edifice which would be the home of the famous Sutro library which he agreed to donate to the State. Now that he has been declared incompetent, there does not seem to be any particular reason to believe that the heirs will fulfill the agreement. It is to be hoped that in the future when similar arrangements are made the representatives of the people will take the precaution to have a written agreement drawn up so that if the prospective donor passes away, his successors will be bound to make good the obligation.

THE FULFILMENT.

Congressman Dingley slept well on the night of February 28th. He witnessed at the close of Treasury that day the fulfilment of his promises that the new revenue law would produce sufficient funds with which to meet the current expenses of the Government. In the 28 days of February the receipts of the Treasury Department were $28,672,538, an average of $1,020,447 per day, which is $17,000,00 a day in excess of the average daily expenditures during the past five years. February, 1893, under the Dingley law was the first February since the election of Cleveland to show a surplus, and the customs receipts alone exceeded those in any February since the inauguration of of Cleveland.

The increase in the amount of money brought into the Treasury under the new customs law has been very rapid averaging in its first month $225,109 per day, and in its seventh month, February, $584,181 per day, an increase 140 per cent. It is evident that the the framers of the Dingley law were justified in their assertion that the law would meet business requirements when business resumed its normal condition.

ONLY THE POST.

The views of the Post would be entitled to more weight were they based on a knowledge of the questions on which these views are expressed. Recently our flippant contemporary attempted to poke fun at Professor Syle because that gentleman is an ardent advocate of the establishment of an endowed theatre. Some time ago, when Oakland made its last annexation grab, the Post gravely remarked that doubtless "the municipalities of Golden Gate, Lorin and Temescal would derive considerable benefit by merging their corporative entities in that of Oakland." The startling statement that the annexed communities were incorporated created considerable amusement, but people said, "O, well; its only the Post," and so nothing more was said.

Somewhat Amusing.

"Do you dislike investigations?" inquired the politician's friend.

"Yes," was the thoughtful reply. "I must say I do. You see they are likely to take up a great deal of a man's time."

"I really don't know what to do about this case," exclaimed the telephone operator, who had been warned to be on the alert for any improper messages.

"What's the trouble?"

"I can't tell whether this man has a hare lip or is talking in cipher."

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Measures of Distance.

A traveler in Florida says that on being asked how far a certain place was a native replied: "Wall, I reckon hit's 'bout two whoops. P'r'ps hit may be some furder," he continued reflectively, "but I low hit ain't more'n two whoops an a holler." In Arkansas they will tell you it is two looks and a go by, meaning you are to pass two houses and find your destination just beyond the next. In other parts of the west it is said the natives measure distances in "chaws" of plug and will tell you your destination is about "two chaws" away. The Scottish way is to say, "It's a far cry," meaning it is about as far as one can shout, while in many cases distance is measured in time, the German "stunde" doubtless having its origin thus.

Perfumed Cloth Is Now Sold.

Druggists in New York keep a perfumed cloth that is sold by the yard. It is imported and is by some process known to perfumers saturated with a sachet powder or essence that is very strong and lasting. It comes as high as $8 and $10 a yard, but is very wide, and one-fourth of a yard is a generous supply. Small pieces, three inches square or less, are sewed in hats, dress waists and skirts and are laid in glove and handkerchief boxes and chiffonier drawers. When it is considered that a fine sachet sells for $1, these perfumed lengths are really economical.

Welcome Home.

Peddler—Wouldn't you like some mottoes for your house, mum? It's very cheering to a husband to see a nice motto on the wall when he comes home.

Mrs. Dagg—You might sell me one if you've got one that says, "Better late than never."—New York Weekly.

Recent statistics show that the English citizen's heaviest bill after food, rent, clothing and drink is his gas bill. England pays $100,000,000 a year to the gas companies, and it is calculated that the gas companies realize a profit of $26,000,000 a year.

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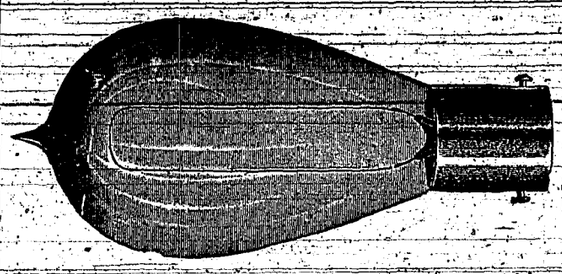
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A Critic Who Says That It Has Lowered the Standard of Art.

Has photography accomplished anything? Yes; it has cheapened art greatly. It has lowered the standard with a public that instinctively prefers the sham and the machine made and the microscopic. It has reduced the artist to a demoralizing struggle with the amateur simply to get his bread and butter. In the beginning of the century England was celebrated for its beautifully illustrated books, in which the greatest artists, engravers and printers collaborated to produce a perfect whole. Today the place of these books has been taken by The Strand Magazine and The Sketch, thanks to the services of photography. In the making of books, however, the tendency has always been toward the survival of the cheapest, and the cheapest—usually the newest—has always interested artists for awhile, though for other reasons than its cheapness.

Steel engravings succumbed before wood engraving and lithography, and they, in turn, have succumbed to the cheapness of the process man. In many ways until lately process was a great advance upon any other form of reproduction. Now process block makers are mostly photographers, who are killing each other in the race for cheapness. I do not want any one to think I would imply that photography is not useful to the artist. On the contrary, it is, and especially in illustration, since it preserves the illustrator's original design for him. It enables the architect to get, at small expense and without the trouble of going to see and draw them, bits of detail in foreign lands, though this is a questionable advantage. The world's greatest architects managed very well without it. One critic has said that if photographers would turn their attention to the recording of historic events, like the jubilee, or of vanishing buildings they could do an immense service to art. In one way this is true, in another it is not.

Surely this critic would be the last to suggest that the cinematographic "pictures"—the whole 22,000 of them, shown at the Empire, I think—are equal to one picture of a procession by Carpaccio, painted centuries before we had any photographs. No doubt 22,000 artists would be required to secure as many views of the jubilee procession as were obtained by the cinematograph, and their employment might have been too much of a good thing. But if, say, half a dozen accomplished artists had been commissioned and allowed to do what they wanted, might we not have had a record of some artistic importance? As to the photographing of old buildings, which would the architect rather have—an etching by Piranesi or a photograph by one of the most revolutionary of the Salon photographers?—Joseph Pennell in Contemporary Review.

Why They Cheered.

Dr. Whewell, master of Trinity college, Cambridge, was a great but unpopular man. When he entered the senate house, it was the ill mannered practice of the undergraduates to begin a loud and continuous whistle.

"How this originated I do not know," writes Dean Farrar in his book "Men I Have Known." "There were two legends about it. One was that it intimated that the master would have to whistle for a bishopric; the other—equally absurd—was that when some one had asked him how to pronounce his name he had said, 'You must shape your mouth as if you were going to whistle.'"

But under the rough manners of the students there was genuine goodness of heart. Dr. Whewell's wife died. He had been tenderly devoted to her, and when he attended chapel after her death the undergraduates were touched by an "old man's anguish and a strong man's tears."

"When next he entered the senate house," writes Dean Farrar, "there was dead silence. For the first time for I know not how many years not a whistle was heard, and then a moment afterward as by spontaneous impulse the whole crowded mass of undergraduates in the gallery burst into a loud and long continued cheer. It was not astonishing that such a proof of sympathy should move the heart of the great master or that the tears should run down his cheeks. I do not think that he was ever whistled at again."

A Great Awakening.

"Richard, why do you wish to stay at home this evening? You promised that when we were married you would go to church with me every Sunday evening."

"Well, my dear, I have been keeping my word."

"But this is only the third Sunday. I think you ought to tell me frankly why you do not wish to go. Is it that you have ceased to love me so soon?"

"No, Susan, it isn't that at all. The fact is, I can't stand your favorite preacher; he is too dull for me."

"Too dull, Richard? Why, the reverend gentleman is regarded as a great revivalist!"

"Hm, yes, I have noticed that there is always a great awakening after his sermon!"

Then she began to cry, and he had to go to pacify her.—Pearson's Weekly.

Why the Blind Do Not Smoke.

A peculiarity about blind people is that there is seldom one of them who smokes. Soldiers and sailors accustomed to smoking and who have lost their sight in action continue to smoke for a short time, but soon give up the habit. They say it gives them no pleasure when they cannot see the smoke, and some have said that they cannot taste the smoke unless they see it.—New York Ledger.

Circumstantial Evidence.

Sherlock Holmes (at the theater)—That woman in front of us has remarkably pretty teeth.

Dr. Cubebs—How do you know? You haven't seen her face.

Sherlock Holmes—But she has laughed incessantly ever since the curtain went up.—Chicago News.

A Compromise.

"I don't suppose," said the wife, "that you mailed those letters I gave you today, John."

"No," said John cheerfully, "but I did those you gave me last week, my dear."

Sometimes policy and honesty go hand in hand.—Cincinnati Commercial Appeal.

A Rare Coincidence.

While lunching picnic fashion upon the Mer de Glace a party of tourists were surprised by a woman who, letter in hand, emerged from the neighboring hotel. The party consisted of husband and wife, two daughters, a young girl friend who was traveling with them and a courier and guide. The woman eyed the crowd for a minute, and, then, rushing straight up to the young girl, she asked her to mail the letter. "It will get there so much sooner if you don't mind carrying it down with you," said the woman; "otherwise I shall have to wait until tomorrow when the regular postman comes." The whole proceeding was so sudden and so characteristic of women that the girl was inclined to laugh, but she pocketed the letter and promised to mail it as requested.

"'Your face was your fortune' that time," remarked the man of the party on the way down. "That woman looked us over well before she picked upon you. I suppose she saw that you were one who could be trusted not to forget to mail letters."

Now the point of this story is not that the girl forgot to mail the letter, for she didn't, nor that it was the man of the party who had to remind her of it, for she needed no reminding, but that just before posting the missive the girl happened to glance at its superscription. It was directed to her mother. The girl could hardly believe her eyes, yet there it was in good, plain American writing, the name of her own dear mother, whom she hadn't seen for so many months and at her own home address. The girl sent a letter home upon her own account and learned that the woman was an old friend whom the mother had not seen for many years and whom the girl had never seen, though often heard of. When the two, woman and girl, afterward met to know each other for the first time, they agreed that the Mer de Glace had supplied them with the choicest sample of coincidence in their experience.—New York Sun.

A Test For Right or Left Handedness.

It is noted editorially in The Medico Legal Journal, New York, that in many criminal cases it becomes necessary to know whether a man is right or left handed. Quoting Dr. Hall of Denver, a high authority, the writer says:

"The matter has generally been settled by the production of witnesses, who have testified freely in many cases to a given condition when an equal number of witnesses have been brought forward who have testified to an opposite condition. In many cases the question could be better settled by an examination of the prisoner, if such an examination could be obtained, or of the corpse, in case this became desirable, by a study of the cicatrices upon the hands, such as are inflicted by every man who handles tools of every kind, but especially the pocketknife. Although most left handed boys are taught to write with the right hand, I believe the knife is commonly handled with the left hand in such cases by the left handed, and many tools are used in a similar manner in various trades. In women the study could not be expected to be of so much value, and still it has proved to be fairly conclusive in many cases."

Lovemaking in Public.

It is evident from her letter to The Ladies' Home Journal that Miss Lilian Bell finds much in Paris to interest and amuse her. Among other things that are rather novel to an American "one sees," she writes, "the comical sight of a French bride and bridegroom, in all the glory of their bridal array—white satin, veil and orange blossoms—driving through the streets in open cabs and hugging and kissing each other with an unctuous freedom which is apt to throw a conservative American into a spasm of laughter. Indeed the frank and candid way that lovemaking goes on in public among the lower classes is so amazing that at first you think you never in this world will become accustomed to it, but you get accustomed to a great many strange sights in Paris. If Bliss explodes with unusual violence in the rear mine, it sometimes scares the horse, but it no longer disturbs me in the least. My nervousness over that sort of thing has entirely worn off."

A Noble Steed.

It was Sir Henry Havelock Allan's boast that he could make his Arab, like the British army, "go anywhere and do anything," and there is a well authenticated story of how one day, mounted upon his horse, he called upon a friend, who received him from an upper window, with the remark, "I'll be down in a moment." "Oh, don't trouble to come down!" was the general's reply. "We'll come up to you," and he set his steed at the steps, and in a moment was in the hall and would undoubtedly have ascended to the drawing room.—New York Post.

A Woman's Joke.

Have you heard this one: Why is a man with a bottle of mucilage in his pocket, racing at the top of his speed on a bicycle like the July sun? The answer is, obviously, "Because he is a scorcher." But what has the bottle of mucilage to do with it? Why, that's the sticker.—Cloth Woman.

His Triumph.

"Have you anything to say?" asked the sheriff, as he strapped the murderer in the electric chair.

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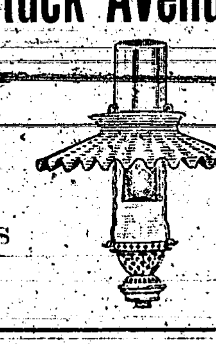
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A suit was filed yesterday afternoon by Antone Gonzalves of Alameda against the Board of Health Officer and City Veterinarian of that City. He alleges that in the fall of 1896 he owned three cows, the milk from which he sold, realizing an income of $45 a month.

On November 4th of that year he claims Dr. Carpenter, at the request of the board "negligently inoculated the cows with a certain noxious drug" as a test for consumption, and afterward killed two of the cows, each of which he believes to have been worth $60. He asks $600 damages for the loss of his business and $160 for the cows.

It is claimed that if Gonzalves wins, suit will be brought by his fellow sufferers throughout the county.

Professor Albin Putzker has presented the library with a copy of "Donatienne," a story from the French of Rene Bazan. This story first appeared in the Revue des Deux Mondes, for June, 1894, and attracted some attention. Professor Putzker has made a translation which is now for the first time published in the "International."

Professor Bernard Moses is about to start south on a trip to inspect schools.

Jack Sheehan, Stanford '95, will spend the next five weeks at Stanford, coaching the baseball team.

Commissioner's Sale.

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE of California, in and for the county of Alameda.

Claudine Wilson (formerly Claudine Zehle) and George A. Wilson, plaintiffs,

vs.

Theodore Wagner, as administrator of the estate of Ellen Boyle, deceased, and Timothy Boyle, Frances Hall and Etta Smyth, defendants.

Whereas, a judgment and decree of foreclosure and order of sale, to me directed, was issued out of said Superior Court of said county of Alameda and State of California on the 4th day of March, A. D., 1898, in favor of Claudine Wilson, formerly Claudine Zehle, and George A. Wilson, plaintiffs, and against Theodore Wagner, as administrator of the estate of Ellen Boyle, deceased, and Timothy Boyle, Frances Hall and Etta Smyth, defendants, for the sum of six hundred and twenty dollars and for costs of suit, taxed at $16 70, amounting in the aggregate to six hundred and thirty-six dollars and seventy cents, with interest thereon from the date of said judgment at the rate of seven per cent per annum and for accruing costs, which said judgment and decree is recorded in judgment book 31 of said court at page 153.

And whereas, I am commanded by said decree of foreclosure and order of sale to sell the mortgaged premises therein described to satisfy said judgment and the costs of said action, notice is hereby given that, on SATURDAY, the 2d day of April, A. D. 1898, at 10 o'clock a. m. of that day, in front of the Broadway street entrance to the Courthouse of the county of Alameda, in the city of Oakland in said county, in obedience to the commands of said decree of foreclosure and order of sale, I will sell the said mortgaged premises described in said decree of foreclosure and order of sale, as follows, to wit:

That certain piece and parcel of land situate in the town of Berkeley, in the county of Alameda and State of California, bounded and described as follows, to wit: Commencing at a point on the easterly line of Fifth street, distant thereon one hundred and forty-seven (147) feet northerly from the northerly line of Allston street, running thence northerly along said line of Fifth street ninety-four (94) feet; thence at right angles easterly one hundred and thirty-six (136) feet; thence at right angles southerly ninety-four (94) feet; and thence at right angles westerly one hundred and thirty-six (136) feet to the point of commencement, being lots numbered twenty and twenty-one (20 and 21), in block (100), one hundred and six, as the same are laid down and delineated upon a certain map entitled "Map of the Sisterna Tract, Berkeley," filed May 15, 1880, in the office of the County Recorder of said Alameda county.

Or I will sell so much thereof as may be necessary to raise sufficient money to satisfy said judgment with interest and costs. Said sale will be made at public auction to the highest and best bidder for cash in gold coin of the United States.

Dated at Berkeley, Cal., March 10, A. D., 1898.

GEORGE J. WAGNER,
Commissioner appointed by said Superior Court.

Thos. F. Graber, Attorney for Plaintiff.
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CHURCHES.

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BERKELEY.

Baptist—Dwight way, one-half block west of Shattuck avenue. D. J. Pierce, pastor. Sunday services at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sunday school at 12 m. Senior Christian Endeavor at 6:30 p. m. Junior Endeavor at 4 p. m. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 8.

Catholic [St. Joseph's—Rev. T. Phillips, rector. Mass on week days at 7:30 o'clock; Sundays 7:30 and 10:30.

Christian—Regular services at American Hall. Sunday school at 10 a. m. Sermon at 11 a. m. Y. P. S. C. E. 6:30 p. m. A. M. Elston, pastor.

Friends Church—Ashby and Shattuck avenue. Preaching every Sunday morning at 11 o'clock. Bible school every Sunday morning at 10 o'clock. Y. P. S. C. E. every Sunday evening at 7:30. Rebecca S. Naylor, pastor.

Methodist [Trinity]—Corner Allston way and Fulton street. Rev. Coyle D. D. pastor. Services every Sunday at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Young People's Society, 6:15 p. m. Junior League, 4:15 p. m. Prayer meeting, Wednesday evening.

Presbyterian [First]—Corner Allston way and Ellsworth street. Services every Sunday at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sabbath school, 9:30 a. m. C. E. prayer meeting, 6:15 p. m. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening, 7:45 p. m.

Congregational [First]—Corner Durant avenue and Dana street. Rev. George B. Hatch, pastor. Sunday school at 12:30 p. m.; preaching service at 11 a. m. and 7:15 p. m.; Y. P. C. E. at 8:00 p. m.; church prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 8:00 o'clock.

Congregational [North Berkeley]—Rev. J. A. Cruzan, pastor. Sunday morning service at 7:30; Y. P. S. C. E. at 4 o'clock; Senior S. C. E. at 6:30. Bible study and prayer meeting Wednesday evenings at 7:30.

Episcopal [St. Mark's]—Bancroft way, between Ellsworth and Dana streets. Rev. George E. Swan, rector. Holy Communion at 7:30 o'clock except first Sunday of the month then at 11 o'clock; Morning Prayer and sermon at 11; Evening Prayer and sermon at 7:30; Sunday school at 9:45 a. m.

Unitarian—Stiles Hall, corner Dana street and Allston way.

Church of the Nazarene—Weiner Block, Shattuck avenue, near Center street, Berkeley station. E. D. Girvin, pastor. Church services on Sunday at 11 a. m. and 7:15 p. m. Evening service preceded by street meeting at 7:30. Sunday school at 9:45 a. m. Holiness meeting Friday evening at 9:45. Both services preceded by street meeting.

WEST BERKELEY.

Episcopal—Bristol street. Minister, Rev W. H. Ratcliff; services every Sunday at 11 a. m.; Sunday school at 10 a. m.; Holy Communion last Sunday in the month at 11 a. m.; childrens' service first Sunday in the month at 3:30 p. m.

Methodist—Seventh street near University avenue. Rev. A. M. Bailey, pastor. Services every Sunday, 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.; Class meeting 6:30 p. m.; Sunday school 9:45 a. m. Epworth League Tuesday evening, 7:30. Prayer meeting Thursday evening, 7:30.

Presbyterian—Corner Bristol and Eighth streets. Rev. F. H. Robinson, pastor. Services every Sunday at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sabbath school 9:45 a. m. C. E. prayer meeting 6:30 p. m. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening, 7:30.

SOUTH BERKELEY.

Presbyterian—Regular Sunday services in South Berkeley Hall, Ashby aven. Preaching at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sunday school at 9:45. A. MacMurtry, pastor.

Park Congregational—Fairview avenue, corner King street. Rev. S. G. Arnett, pastor. Sunday: Morning worship at 11; evening at 7:45; Bible school at 12:30 p. m.; Y. P. S. C. E. Jr. at 4 p. m.; Y. P. S. C. E., Sun. at 6:30 p. m.; prayer meeting Wednesday at 7:45 p. m.

LORIN.

Episcopal—Corner Calais and Harmon streets. Rev. T. L. Randolph, missionary. Sunday school at 10 a. m. Morning prayer and sermon, 11 a. m. Holy Communion, third Sunday in month.

German Lutheran Church at Lorin Hall, Alcatraz ave. Services, Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock; Sunday School 9 to 10 a. m. Pastor, J. H. Theiss, officiating.

German M. E.—Corner Calais and Felton. Rev. W. P. Geoghegan pastor. Sunday school 9:45 a. m.; Services, 11 a. m.; Y. P. S. C. E. 7:30 p. m.

SOCIETIES.

A. O. F.—Court University No. 7915. Meets second and fourth Monday in each month at Odd Fellows' Hall.

A. O. H. W.—Hearts of Oak Lodge, No. 61. Meets every Wednesday evening at Sisterna Hall.

A. P. A.—Berkeley Council. Meets every Wednesday at Odd Fellows Hall.

W. A. P. A.—Friends of Liberty Council No. 390. Meets every Monday evening at American Hall.

F. & A. M.—Durant Lodge No. 268. Meets first Friday in each month at Odd Fellows Hall.

A. O. F.—Court Ocean View, No. 26. Meets every Thursday evening at Taylor's Hall.

G. A. R.—Lookout Mountain Post, No. 88. Meets second and Fourth Tuesday evening in each month at Odd Fellows Hall.

W. R. C.—Lookout Mountain Corps meets second and fourth Tuesday in each month at Odd Fellows Hall.

I. O. O. F.—Berkeley Lodge No. 270. Meets every Thursday evening at Odd Fellows Hall.

Junior Order of United American Mechanics—Paul Revere Council No. 28. Meets every Saturday at American Hall.

Knights and Ladies of Honor—Berkeley Lodge No. 1941. Meets second and fourth Monday evening in each month at American Hall.

Knights of Honor—Center Lodge, 3902, meets on the first and third Tuesdays of each month in I. O. O. F. Hall, Berkeley station.

Knights of Honor—Tahoe Lodge No. 1876. Meets every Saturday evening at Sisterna Hall.

Knights of Pythias—University Lodge No. 162. Meets every Tuesday evening at Pythian Castle.

Order of Chosen Friends—Berkeley Council No. 72. Meets first and third Friday evening in each month at Taylor's Hall.

Order of Hermann Sons—West Berkeley Lodge No. 21. Meets every Monday evening at Sisterna Hall.

Woodmen of the World—Peralta Camp No. 123. Meets first and third Tuesday evening of each month at American Hall.

A. O. U. W.—South Berkeley Lodge, No. 331. Meets every Friday evening at South Berkeley Hall.

National Union—Berkeley Council, No. 808, meets on the first and third Mondays of each month at American Hall.

Women's Christian Temperance Union—This organization holds its regular monthly meetings at the Trinity M. E. Church on the first Wednesday of each month at 3 p. m.

HOWE MAY LOSE HIS PENSION.

He Voluntarily Forfeited His Citizenship.

The findings of the court-martial which tried Major W. O. Howe and expelled him from Lyon Post, Grand Army of the Republic, have been approved by the general officers of the department and returned to the post. The opponents of the Major are not content to let the matter rest here, but now propose to have his name stricken from the pension rolls.

Howe is drawing $8 per month from the pension fund, and it is claimed that as he voluntarily gave up his citizenship he is not entitled to a pension.

O. V. Lange will lecture before a special meeting of the Science Association at the students' hour next Friday, the 18th, on the use of photography in scientific research.

Professor Ardley is about to move his department of decorative and industrial art into the new quarters in East Hall. The new studios are being prepared for occupancy.

J. C. Hardie of Sacramento was in town yesterday.

School Bond Election Notice.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN to the electors of the Town of Berkeley School District, of Alameda County, that in accordance with the provisions of the Political Code of the State of California, as set forth in Section 1887 to and including Section 1888 of said Code, an election will be held on Saturday, the 26th day of March, A. D. 1898, at the public school building on Center street (near Berkeley station), in said School District, known as the "Kellogg School House" at which time will be submitted to the electors of said district the question whether or not bonds of the said district shall be issued and sold for the purpose of raising money for building a High School Building in said district, for insuring the same and supplying the same with furniture and necessary apparatus.

The polls will be opened and the election held at the said "Kellogg School Building," in said Town of Berkeley, County of Alameda, on Saturday, the 26th day of March, 1898, and the polls will be open from 8 o'clock a. m. until sundown of said day. W. H. Waste and Albert Barz will act as Judges and D. G. Madden as Inspector of said election to conduct the same.

The amount of bonds to be issued is Sixty Thousand ($60,000) Dollars, of the denomination of One Thousand, ($1,000) Dollars each; all of them of the same date, to-wit: of their issuance. The rate of interest on said bonds will be five (5) per cent per annum, payable semi-annually.

The said bonds will be numbered consecutively from one to sixty (1 to 60), both inclusive. The said bonds will mature and the number of years they are to run will be as follows:

Bonds numbered from 1 to 3, both inclusive, each for $1000, shall mature one year from their date.

Bonds numbered from 4 to 6, both inclusive, each for $1000, shall mature two years from their date.

Bonds numbered from 7 to 9, both inclusive, each for $1000, shall mature three years fro their date.

Bonds numbered from 10 to 12, both inclusive, each for $1000, shall mature four years from their date.

Bonds numbered from 13 to 15, both inclusive, each for $1000, shall mature five years from their date.

Bonds numbered from 16 to 18, both inclusive, each for $1000, shall mature six years from their date.

Bonds numbered from 19 to 21, both inclusive, each for $1000, shall mature seven years from their date.

Bonds numbered from 22 to 24, both inclusive, each for $1000, shall mature eight years from their date.

Bonds numbered from 25 to 27, both inclusive, each for $1000, shall mature nine years from their date.

Bonds numbered from 28 to 30, both inclusive, each for $1000, shall mature ten years from their date.

Bonds numbered from 31 to 33, both inclusive, each for $1000, shall mature eleven years from their date.

Bonds numbered from 34 to 36, both inclusive, each for $1000, shall mature twelve years from their date.

Bonds numbered from 37 to 39, both inclusive, each for $1000, shall mature thirteenyears from their date.

Bonds numbered from 40 to 42, both inclusive, each for $1000, shall mature fourteen years from their date.

Bonds numbered from 43 to 45, both inclusive each for $1000, shall mature fifteen years from their date.

Bonds numbered from 46 to 48, both inclusive each for $1000, shall mature sixteen years from their date

Bonds numbered from 49 to 51, both inclusive, each for $1000, shall mature seventeen years from their date.

Bonds numbered from 52 to 54, both inclusive, each for $1000, shall mature eighteen years from their date.

Bonds numbered from 55 to 57, both inclusive, each for $1000, shall mature nineteen years from their date.

Bonds numbered from 58 to 60, both inclusive, each for $1000, shall mature twenty years from their date.

Said election will be conducted in conformity with the provisions of the Political Code of California, governing such elections.

BERKELEY, March 2, 1898.

Board of Education of the Town of Berkeley, acting as a High School Board, of the Town of Berkeley School District of Alameda County, State of California.

[SEAL] By P. R. BOONE, President of Said Board.

Attest: M. L. HANSCOM, Clerk of Said Board.

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ESTATE OF EDWARD A. BRAKENRIDGE deceased.

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ISAAC B. PARSONS,
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Executor and Executrix of the estate of Edward A. Brakenridge deceased.

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ALSO POLL TAX NOTICE.

Oakland, March 7th, 1898.

All Persons, Firms, Companies, Corporations and Associations are required to deliver at the Assessor's office, at the Court House, City of Oakland, County of Alameda, on or before March 21st, 1898, a statement under oath, of all the property, both real and personal, owned or claimed by him, her or them, or in their possession, or held in trust for others, at 12 o'clock meridian on the

First Monday of March, 1898,

In accordance with Sec. 3629, Political Code.

Every person who refuses or neglects to furnish the statement as provided for in Section 3629, Political Code, becomes liable to a fine of one hundred dollars and the value fixed by the Assessor on their property must not be reduced by the Board of Equalization.

All persons owning real estate that has been assessed in the wrong name or errors have appeared on their tax bills, are requested to call at the Assessor's office or notify the Assessor by mail on or before March 21st, 1898, so that the proper corrections may be made on the assessment roll for the year 1898.

Assessment blanks may be obtained at the Assessor's office, room one, Court House, or from any Deputy Assessor.

Poll Tax Must Be Paid on Demand.

Notice is hereby given that the State Poll Tax of two dollars for the year 1898 is now due and payable at my office, Room one, Court House, or to a Deputy Assessor.

Sec. 3839 of the Political Code reads as follows:

Every male inhabitant of the State over twenty-one and under sixty years of age, except paupers, insane persons and Indians, must annually pay a Poll Tax of two dollars, provided the same be paid between the

First Monday in March and the First Monday in July,

then it shall be three dollars.

Sec. 3840 of the Political Code makes it the duty of the Assessor to "demand Poll Tax of every person liable therefor, and on the neglect or refusal of such person to pay, he must collect by seizure and sale of any personal property owned by such person."

Under Sections 429 to 435 every person who refuses to give his own name or the name of any person in his employ, or who in any manner obstructs the Assessor or any of his deputies in the collection of the State Poll Tax, is guilty of a misdemeanor, and liable to a fine of $500 or imprisonment in the County Jail, or both such fine and imprisonment.

Only those persons under twenty-one or over sixty years of age are exempt. Poll tax must be paid on demand.

HENRY P. DALTON,
Assessor of Alameda County,

Oakland, California.

Adjudication of Insolvency, Stay of Proceedings and Order of Publication of Notice to Creditors.

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE COUNTY of Alameda, State of California.

In the matter of William Rutledge, insolvent debtor.

William Rutledge having filed in this Court his petition, schedule and inventory in insolvency, by which it appears that he is an insolvent debtor, the said William Rutledge is hereby declared to be insolvent.

The Sheriff of the County of Alameda is hereby directed to take possession of all the estate, real and personal, of the said insolvent debtor, except such as may be by law exempt from execution, and of all his deeds, vouchers, books of account, and papers, and to keep the same safely until the appointment of an assignee herein.

All persons are forbidden to pay any debts to said insolvent debtor, or to deliver any property belonging to said insolvent debtor to him, or to any person, firm or corporation, or association for his use.

The said debtor is hereby forbidden to transfer or deliver any property, until the further order of this Court, except as herein ordered.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED, that creditors of said debtor whose claim have been placed on file in the office of the Clerk of this Court at least two days prior to the 4th day of March 1898, be and appear before the Superior Court of the County of Alameda, State of California, in open Court, at the Courtroom of said Court, Department No. 1, in the County of Alameda, State of California, on the 4th day of March 1898, at 10 o'clock A. M. of that day, to prove their debts and choose an assignee of the estate of said debtor.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED, that this order be published in THE BERKELEY GAZETTE a newspaper of general circulation, published in the County of Alameda, as often as the said newspaper is printed before the said day set for the meeting of creditors.

AND IT IS FURTHER ORDERED, that, in the meantime, all proceedings against the said insolvent debtor be stayed.

S. P. HALL, Judge of the Superior Court.

Dated February 23rd, 1898.

(Endorsed.) Filed February 23, 1898.

FRANK C. JORDAN, Clerk

By J. CAL. EWING, Deputy Clerk